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Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
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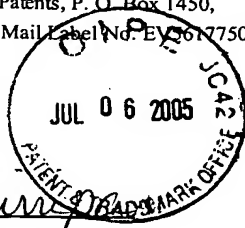
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Filed: March 16, 2004

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Image Sensor

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It is respectfully requested that the cited references be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and the references be made of record therein and appear among the "references cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

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	AB	US-Patent Application No. 10/227,889. Filed August 26, 2002.	03-06-2003	Longacre et al.	
	AC	US-Patent Application No. 10/328,939. Filed December 23, 2002. (Attached is Office Action dated February 9, 2005.)	08-07-2003	Longacre et al.	
	AD	US-Patent Application No. 10/778,466. Filed February 13, 2004.	Filed 02-13-2004	Longacre et al.	
	AE	US-Patent Application No. 10/786,808. Filed February 25, 2004.	Filed 02-25-2004	Longacre et al.	
	AF	US-Patent Application No. 10/786,984. Filed February 25, 2004.	Filed 02-25-2004	Longacre et al.	
	AG	US-Patent Application No. 10/793,423. Filed March 4, 2004.	Filed 03-04-2004	Longacre et al.	
	AH	US-Patent Application No. 10/800,136. Filed March 12, 2004.	Filed 03-12-2004	Longacre et al.	
	AI	US-Patent Application No. 10/801,937. Filed March 16, 2004. (Attached is Office Action dated April 15, 2005)	Filed 03-16-2004	Longacre et al.	
	AJ	US-Patent Application No. 10/802,539. Filed March 16, 2004. (Attached is Office Action dated April 21, 2005)	Filed 03-16-2004	Longacre et al.	
	AK	US-Patent Application No. 10/887,207. Filed July 8, 2004.	Filed 07-08-2004	Longacre	
	AL	US-Patent Application No. 10/895,536. Filed July 23, 2004.	Filed 07-23-2004	Longacre et al.	
	AM	US-4,654,514	03-31-1987	Watson et al.	
	AN	US-4,721,849	01-26-1988	Davis et al.	
	AO	US-4,731,525	03-15-1988	Hice, John R.	
	AP	US-4,761,544	08-02-1988	Poland, McKee D.	
	AQ	US-4,825,058	04-25-1989	Poland, McKee D.	
	AR	US-4,864,302	09-05-1989	Bowers, Davis L.	
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	BG	US-5,550,366	08-27-1996	Roustaei, Alexander	
	BH	US-5,594,230	01-14-1997	Waite et al.	
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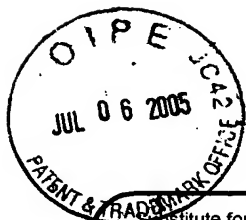
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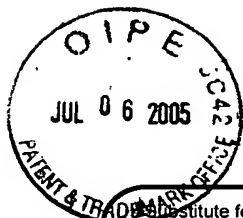
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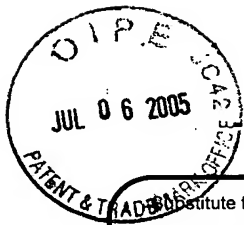
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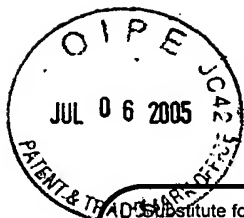
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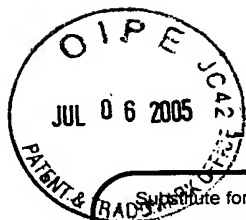
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